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stored on a first memory to a second memory. The method comprises the first step of transferring a fee to a first party at a location remote from the second memory and controlling use of the first memory from a second party financially distinct from the first party, said second party in control and in possession of the second memory. Then, there is the step of connecting the first memory with the second memory via a telecommunication link such that the digital signal can pass therebetween. Next, there is the step of transmitting the digital signal from the first memory with a transmitter in control and possession of the first party to a receiver having the second memory at a location determined by the second party, said receiver in possession and control of the second party. Then, there is the step of storing the digital signal in the second memory. ~~TA~~

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the following claims.

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11. (Thrice Amended). A method for transmitting a desired digital audio music signal stored on a first memory to a second memory comprising the steps of:

transferring money to a first party at a location remote from the second memory and controlling use of the first

memory from a second party financially distinct from the first party, said second party controlling use and in possession of the second memory;

F³ connecting electronically via a telecommunications link the first memory with the second memory such that the digital signal can pass therebetween;

transmitting the digital signal from the first memory with a transmitter in control and possession of the first party to a receiver having the second memory at a location determined by the second party, said receiver in possession and control of the second party; and

storing the digital signal in the second memory.

15. (Twice Amended) A method for transmitting a desired digital, video [or audio] signal stored on a first memory to a second memory comprising the steps of:

F⁴ [charging] transferring a fee [by] to a first party at a location remote from the second memory and controlling use of the first memory from [to] a second party financially distinct from the first party, said second party in control and in possession of the second memory;

connecting the first memory with the second memory via
a telecommunication link such that the digital signal can pass
therebetween;

F⁴ transmitting the digital signal from the first memory
with a transmitter in control and possession of the first party
to a receiver having the second memory at a location determined
by the second party, said receiver in possession and control of
the second party; and

storing the digital signal in the second memory.

Please add the following claim.

F⁵ 22. A method as described in Claim 21 wherein the
transferring step includes the steps of telephoning the party
controlling use of the first memory by the party controlling the
second memory; providing a credit card number of the party
controlling the second memory to the party controlling the first
memory so the party controlling the second memory is charged
money.
